



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Application No.: 09/661,916

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For: METHOD FOR CONSTRUCTING
SERVICE PROVIDING SYSTEM

Group Art Unit: 2124

Examiner: Qamrun Nahar

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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated March 28, 2003, the period for response being extended for one month by the concurrent filing of a Petition for Extension of Time and payment of the requisite fee, please reexamine and reconsider the application in view of the amendments and appended remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 11 of this paper and include two replacement sheets, which are attached.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including the two replacement drawing sheets is attached following page 17.

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